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Maj. John S. Perry, USAR President, Cleveland Army Chapter No. 8 37351 Sugar Ridge Road North Ridgeville, Ohio 44039

Dear Major Perry,

Thank you for your letter of January 20 to Mr. E. Henry Knoche, Deputy Director of Central Intelligence, requesting his appearance at your general meeting in April. I apologize for the delay in responding, due to the general transition situation and the appointment of a new director of the Agency.

Mr., Knoche appreciates your invitation and if the date of April 20 is still open he would be pleased to appear. If for any reason he is unable to make the trip due to the press of business we would arrange for a substitute speaker from this Agency.

I will be pleased to discuss the arrangements with you by phone. We will try to contact you but in the event we are unable to do so I would appreciate your phoning me here.

Once again, I apologize for the delay in answering but we are pleased to try to meet your needs.

Sincerely,

Deputy Assistant to the Director of Central Intelligence

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